



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
New Attorney Docket No. 09481.0003-02000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Hongjun YANG et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1641
	)	
Application No.: 09/222,443	)	Examiner: Mary Ceperley
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Filed: December 29, 1998	)	
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For: ELECTROCHEMILUMINESCENCE	)	
OF RARE EARTH METAL	)	
CHELATES	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed October 20, 2003, the period for response having been extended to April 20, 2004 by a request for extension of three months and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment sections of this paper.